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Dedication Exercises.

...e feature will be a daily
Kent Club H... ...ve by Dana Thompson, who is ...ertised to dive from a tower 90 ...et high, turn a somersault and land ...into a tub of water four feet deep and ten feet square.

The company will furnish a band, and our people will have an opportunity to compare its music with that furnished by our own band.

During the week a "country store" will be run by the ladies and a few male assistants, for the benefit of the public school fund and the Fire Department. In this store there will be for sale anything one wants—providing one is reasonab... subject. ...string to a baby c... permission was now is to ... government had no funds for the work, and claimed that if navigation would not be affected it had no jurisdiction in the matter. Recently, however, the War Department, learning that the drainage people were about to begin work, directed Captain Shunk to look into the matter, and if necessary put it into the hands of District Attorney Stripling. This will bring the subject to a head, and some one will have to show that the proposed canal or ditch will or will not prove injurious to the St. Johns.

There appears to be considerable difference of opinion as to the advisability of digging this canal, and the effect it will have on the navigability of the St. Johns river. The government should thoroughly investigate the matter, through a responsible engineer, and then govern itself accordingly. The thousands of people along the St. Johns can not afford to lose the river for transportation—and if there is any danger that the cutting of the canal will lower the water in the river—then the canal must not be cut.

DeLand people are interested in this ...tter more than they know. I... ...er steamers cease to run, o... ...ght rates and charges will be doubled. No mistake must be made in this matter.

The last issue of the Florida School Exponent is devoted almost entirely to a fight against state uniformity of text books. Editor McBeath appears to take a very lively interest in the matter. THE NEWS is inclined to think that entirely too much stress is laid on the question of uniformity. At present the book trust—the American Book company—controls the use of books in this state. If you do not believe this statement look at the list of books from which questions are to be taken for the June examination. State Superintendent Sheats selects these books. Nearly every one is published by the American Book Company. Under state uniformity, the commission appointed to select books would be purchased by the book trust, and would select only books sold by the trust. Under county uniformity, as at present, the book trust has to put up a pretty little tale, and occasionally some other things of a more material nature, to each county school board—and thus the sinews of war are more evenly distributed. Perhaps the present system is better than state uniformity.

Many years ago, just when the oldest inhabitant fails to remember, the county authorities of Warren county, Indiana, built a bridge over Pine Creek. The most available lumber at the time was black walnut, which was found in large quantities on the edge of the creek. The bridge is between 150 and 200 feet long. Today it is estimated that the timber in the bridge is worth $20,000. Bridge companies have offered to replace the structure with a first-class steel bridge, taking the present walnut bridge as full payment. The county authorities re-

Wales' Bad D...

Dec. 28, Innocents' day. ... in Wales the most unluck... year.

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Eskimo and Siberian ... forty-five miles on the ic... and there is one case ... which a team of Eskimo ... six and a half miles in ... minutes.

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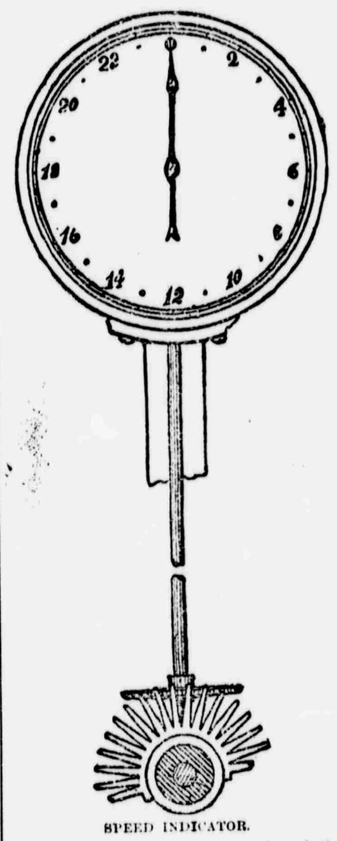
W. ... never changes Mo...es. She still has the same punishment for the man who neglects or abuses his stomach as she had in the far off days "when Adam delved and Eve span."

The physical discomfort, dullness, sluggishness, irritability, nervousness and sleeplessness which are visited upon the man who eats carelessly or irregularly have been from the beginning the evidences of disease of the stomach ... associ... numbered, Jessamine Frances ...

Whereas, ...dical Disc... endeared herself to us all, by her cheerful ways and constant gentleness of manner, and was always found ready to speak ... an architect of ...

...will be an easy matter to ascertain the speed at which an automobile or other vehicle to which it is attached travels. The device, which is named the Hodgson speed indicator, consists of a double dial with index hands which are moved automatically from the running gear of the machine.

The indicator, says the New York Herald, is applied at either front or



SPEED INDICATOR.

rear wheel between the wheel and the body of the vehicle. The double dials show the speed from either side. The index hand travels forward and recedes, keeping pace with the present speed of the vehicle, while behind the index hand is another, which travels forward so long as the speed continues on the increase, but remains stationary when the machine slows up or stops for three to five minutes, when it is released and flies back to the present position of the first named index hand.

The index hands are moved by centrifugal expansion of heavily weighted arms in the mechanism. The device's accuracy and reliability, it is claimed, cannot be affected by dust, mud, moisture or frost. It is easily adjusted to different sized wheels.

The dial and figures are made large enough to be easily seen by a person standing at a distance of several feet away.

Oom Paul to the Mad Mollah.

Dear Mol:
I take mein pen in handt
To write dot I am vell
Und hopes dis postal findts you mit
Der same goot news to tell,
Unt I vouldt gif some goot atvice
You shouldt paste in your hat,
Und dot is: It is better ven
A feller don't
get
mat.

I see der babers in dot you
Vas chasin' on der sandt
Unt whoopin' roundt dot you vas oudt
To fight to beat der bandt.
I uset to think I knew it all;
I set der vorldt vas flat,
But dis I know: Id's better if
A feller don't
get
mat.

Mein frindt, I don't know if to you
Your finish yet is clear.
But let me dell you, dear oldt Mol,
I see id plain from here.
Dis vorldt is but a fleeding show,
Unt lots of dings is sat,
But id is better, always, if
A feller don't—
get
mat.

I'fe met dis Chonnie Pull dot you
Haf daret to gome unt fighdt,
Unt I can say he'll sadisfy
Your fiercest abbedite.
Dear Mol, I'd like mit you to haf
Von leedle, soulful chat,
But all I'd say is dot it's best
A mollah don't
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6	Eliza Bardwell	40	..
7	Lottie Eccles	33	..
8	Hildegrade Mann	36	..
9	Annie Russell	27	..
60	Julia Hankerson	50	..
1	H. H. Muldrow	35	..
2	Wilhelmenia Johnson	35	..
3	S. Pickett	28	..
4	Emily Bryant	50	..
5	I. S. Hankins	37	50
6	Alphonso Jones	30	..
7	Aug. Williams	33	..
8	Mina J. Schuyler	32	..
9	L. Whiteman	18	..
70	J. R. Wiggins	5	..
1	Thayer & Sauls, J. R. W.	10	..
2	Wilhelmenia Johnson	30	..
3	Mamie Morrison	28	..
4	J. H. Hector	40	..
5	Thayer & Sauls, E. H. Y. Palmer	45	..
6	C. C. McCall	27	..
7	Fannie Woolwine	40	..
8	Jane L. Mann	35	..
9	Nellie Mann	2	50
80	Gove & Strother, S. D. 41	2	..
1	Sidney Haigh	19	..
2	J. N. Arnold, trans.	14	75
3	Mrs. Woods	17	90
4	J. C. Prevatt	6	50
5	News, printing	8	00
6	J. C. Lowe, bridge toll	2	15
7	G. W. Fisher, S. D. 38	26	64
8	Volusia Co. Bank, Int. War. 4109	1	80
9	R. D. McDonald, stovepipe at Lungren	1	75
90	W. L. McDonald, supplies at Clearwater	3	60
1	R. S. Maley, supplies at Ponce Park	23	68
2	Union School Furniture Co blackboard	83	33
3	Bert Fish, salary	5	..
4	J. L. Chandler, board	10	40
5	L. E. Causey, board	18	..
6	E. F. Knappe, board	30	..
7	Belle Rainey, salary	40	75
8	J. J. Vinzant, trs. com	5	..
9	J. H. Hibbard, postage	50	..
5700	H. H. Muldrow, salary	35	..
1	Wilhelmenia Johnson	35	..
2	S. Picket	28	..
3	Emily Bryant	30	..
4	Christina Hector	32	..
5	L. Whitman	23	..
6	J. R. Wiggins	10	..
7	Wilhelmenia Johnson, ac J. R. Wiggins	30	..
8	M. C. Morrison, salary	28	..
9	James H. Hector	35	..
10	Mrs. I. A. Bennett	40	..
1	C. P. Dickinson	60	..
2	E. C. Boyd	40	..
3	Charlote Bradley	40	..
4	Carrie Eccles	80	..
5715	Mrs. E. Fair	35	..
6	H. F. Prideaux	40	..
7	Thayer & Sauls, salary of Palmer	90	..
8	J. B. Lockey, salary	50	..
9	A. O. Botts	40	..
20	Harwell	40	..
1	...ia Willatowski	40	..
2	Mary Stones	40	..
3	Loretta Law	40	..
4	Viola Erhart	40	..
5	Marvin Harwell	40	..
6	Janie Bennett	30	..
7	Mary Green	30	..
8	Verda Drawdy	35	..
9	Mrs. J. L. Bradley	15	..
30	Mrs. J. L. Bradley	40	..
1	Mary McLeod	35	..
2	Mollie Stone	35	..
3	Beulah Clyatt	30	..
4	Nellie Furen	40	..
5	W. S. Carlton	45	..
6	Edna Willicombe	50	..
7	Geo. J. Dykes	35	..
8	Mary Price	35	..
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2	Fannie Woolwine	60	..
3	W. A. Rush	35	..
4	Eliza Bardwell	40	..
5	Lottie Eccles	85	..
6	C. E. Richards	47	..
7	Martha Brown	40	..
8	Lydia Babington	40	..
9	Susie Curry	40	..
50	Maud Barron	40	..
1	Rose Noble	40	..
2	Lucie Hacker	83	33
3	Bert Fish	50	00
4	I. S. Hankins	33	..
5	Mina J. Schuyler	37	50
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We certify that this statement is true and correct in every particular.

J. L. CHANDLER, Chairman.
BERT FISH, Sec. Bd. Pub. Ins.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure and sale made and entered by the Circuit Court for the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for the County of Clay, in Chancery sitting, on the 3rd day of December, 1902, in a certain cause therein pending wherein The Pennsylvania Company for Insurance on Lives and Granting Annuities, is complaint, and the Jacksonville, Tampa & Key West Railway Company, Alice Williams, D. B. Williams, Robert H. Coleman, Archibald Rogers, H. T. Kendall, as Assignee of Robert H. Coleman, the Chatham National Bank, Edward H. McDonald, Harriet Walker, Frank W. Pope, and the Mississippi Valley Realty Company are defendants, I will offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash at public outcry, before the Court House door of the said County of Clay, State of Florida, in the City of Green Cove Springs therein, on the first Monday in ...ast... A. D. 1903, the same being the seco... ...Hastings,... month, and a legal sales day, w... ...urs of sale, the property des... ...she... follows: ...Ford.

The mortgaged pro...ne.—Rev. J. ... scribed in said de... plaint in said ca... Exhibit "G" ... T. P. Warner. theretofore s... ...Rev. A. N. Elrod. the said bill, ... in the count... DeSoto, ... Orange, ... Polk an... described ...

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Lot 2	13	18	32	55.07
All	18	18	32	599.19
All	19	18	32	534.39
W 1-2	20	18	32	318.09
E 1-2, e 1-2 of w 1-2, sw 1-4 of sw 1-4	23	18	32	680.77
All	25	18	32	697.36
E 1-2 of ne 1-4	26	18	32	80.00
Se 1-4 of ne 1-4	27	18	32	40.00
N 1-2, sw 1-4	29	18	32	480.00
N 1-2	30	18	32	268.18
S 1-2 of nw 1-4, n 1-2 of sw 1-4	33	18	32	160.00
Ne 1-4	35	18	32	159.64
S 1-2 of sw 1-4	15	18	33	79.71
All	21	18	33	641.60
S 1-2, s 1-2 of nw 1-4	23	18	33	309.70
Sw 1-4, e 1-2 of nw 1-4, nw 1-4 of ne 1-4, sw 1-4 of se 1-4, e 1-2 of e 1-2	25	18	33	479.76
All	27	18	33	639.59
All	31	18	33	699.14
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An important paper has recently been published by Dr. Selim Lemstrom of Helsingfors on the use of electricity as a plant fertilizer. His experiments show that for plants growing on arable land of medium quality an increase of 45 per cent in the crops is obtainable. The better the field is tilled the greater is the increase. On poor soil the effect is trifling. Certain plants, such as peas, cabbages and turnips, do not respond to electrical treatment until after being watered. Electricity applied when the sun is shining strongly is almost invariably injurious.

Value of Canned Goods.

The fruits and vegetables canned and preserved each year in the United States have a value of more than $45,000,000. The number of pounds of tomatoes canned is double that of the corn. Of fruits canned peaches stand first in value, being $4,500,000. The plebeian pumpkin is canned to the value of more than $200,000.

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